

16 EXTRA
PAGES

SUPER-MYSTERY COMICS

10¢
AUG.
K





WEB COMIC
UNIVERSE.COM

UNITED NATIONS TROUBLE-SHOOTER

GALL



WHEN THE UNITED STATES BEAT THE AXIS INTO SURRENDER AND EMERGED VICTORIOUS FROM THE MOST COLOSSAL WAR IN HISTORY, THEY FORMED THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION (U.N.O.) TO HELP KEEP THE WORLD PEACE. BUT KNOWING THERE WOULD BE PROBLEMS WHOSE SOLUTIONS WOULD REQUIRE UNUSUAL TACTICS AND HANDLING, THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE U.N.O. HAS SECRETLY HIRED FAMED TROUBLE-SHOOTER JIM BLAKE! KNOWN ONLY TO A FEW MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, BLAKE OPERATES UNDER THE NAME OF "UNO"—THE UNITED NATIONS TROUBLE-SHOOTER!

VIENNA AUSTRIA.... ONE DAY
LAST MONTH...



I SAY... COULD YOU DRIVE ME
TO THE ENGLISH EMBASSY!!



PARDON, MEIN
HERR, IF WE
SHARE YOUR
HACK?

EH! OH! OF COURSE!
HACKS ARE RATHER
SCARCE, ARE THEY
NOT?

YOU-WHY-YOU'RE
DENNIS KANE-THE
ENGLISH TRAITOR
WE'VE BEEN
SEARCHING FOR
EVER SINCE
GERMANY
SURRENDERED

PLEASE DO NOT
BE SO FOOLISH
AS TO MAKE AN
OUTCRY, SIR
REGINALD!
THE DRIVER
IS ONE OF-ER-
MY FRIENDS-
DO YOU SEE?



TWO HOURS LATER



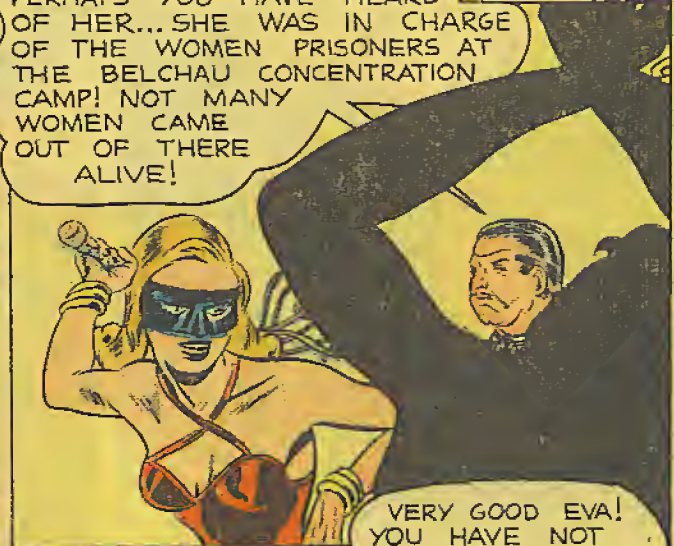
AH, SIR REGINALD!
THIS IS TOO BAD—
BUT YOU WILL STILL
NOT GIVE US THE
INFORMATION WE WANT
ON THE ATOMIC BOMB?

WHAT MORE CAN
I TELL YOU, KANE?
YOU'VE SEARCHED MY
CLOTHES AND MY
BRIEF CASE! I TELL
YOU I DON'T HAVE
ANY INFORMATION!



YOU SEE, SIR REGINALD—
EVA ENJOYS THIS WORK!
PERHAPS YOU HAVE HEARD
OF HER... SHE WAS IN CHARGE
OF THE WOMEN PRISONERS AT
THE BELCHAU CONCENTRATION
CAMP! NOT MANY
WOMEN CAME
OUT OF THERE
ALIVE!

TOO BAD! TOO BAD!
WELL YOU MAY
HAVE YOUR SPORT,
EVA!!



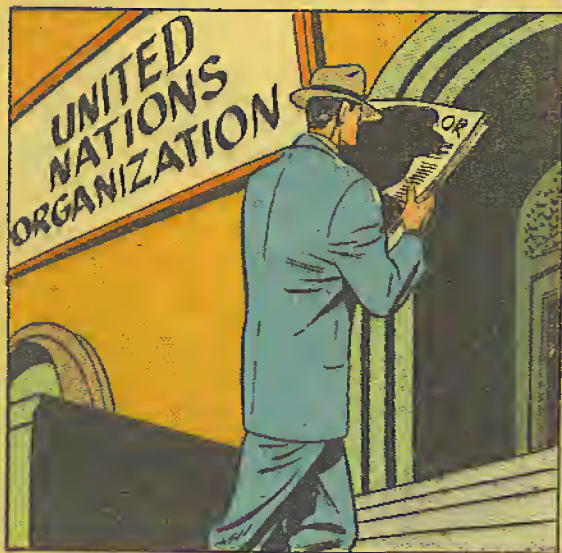
VERY GOOD EVA!
YOU HAVE NOT
LOST YOUR TOUCH
AT ALL! BEFORE YOU
AND I ARE THROUGH
WITH HIM, SIR
REGINALD WILL
GIVE US WHAT
WE WANT!



THE NEXT MORNING
NEAR HUNTER COLLEGE
IN NEW YORK CITY...

WUX-TRY! MORNIN'
PAYP-YER! ENGLISH
AMBASSADOR DISAPPEARS!
HEY! HEY! HEY! READ
ALL ABOUT IT!

WHATTA Y' READ, HERE?
WUX-TRY! AMBASSADOR
MISSING!



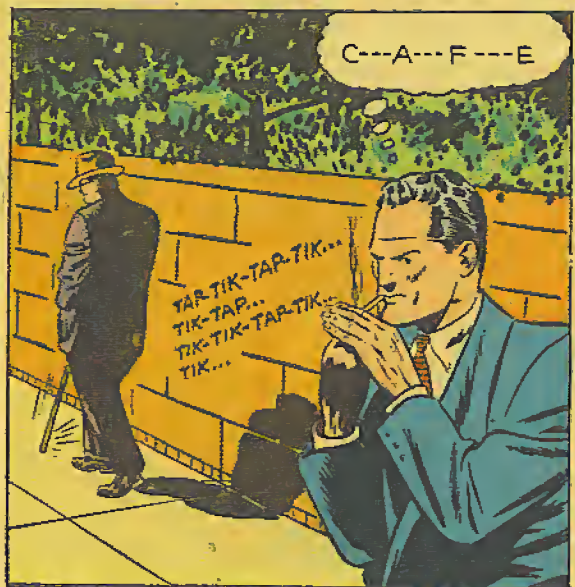
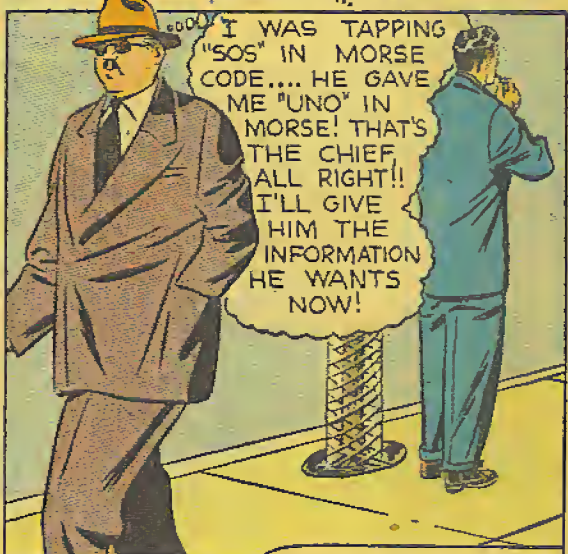
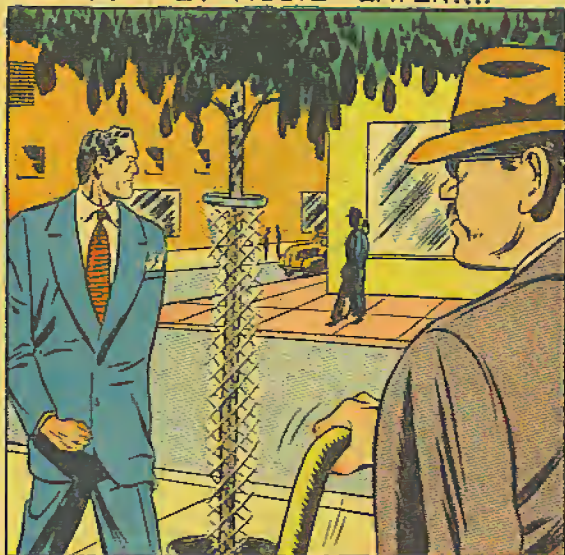
JIM BLAKE!

GOOD TO SEE YOU, BLAKE!

NICE TO SEE YOU
GENTLEMEN TOO- BUT
UNFORTUNATELY IT WON'T
BE FOR VERY LONG! I'M
TAKING THE FIRST PLANE
FOR VIENNA!



VIENNA—24 HOURS LATER....



THAT EVENING AT THE CAFE
STRAUSS...

I WONDER WHO SHE
IS? I KNOW I'VE SEEN
HER SOMEWHERE, BUT I
DON'T KNOW WHERE!



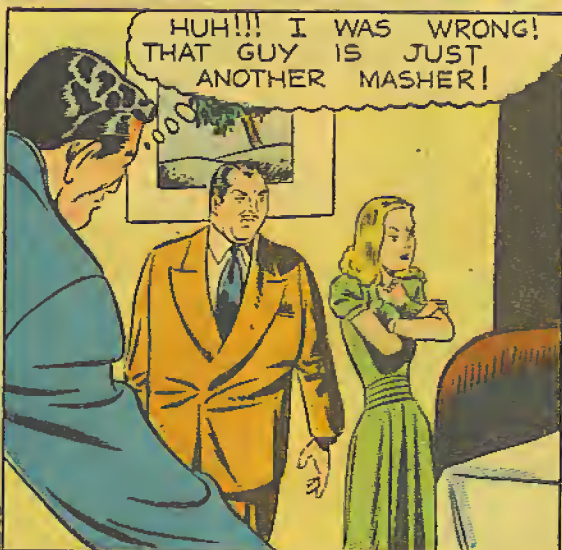
OH-OH!! I MIGHT
HAVE KNOWN! HERE
COMES HER BIG
MOMENT!



JUST AS I THOUGHT!



HUH!!! I WAS WRONG!
THAT GUY IS JUST
ANOTHER MASHER!



I DON'T KNOW WHAT HE SAID
TO HER, BUT THAT KIND OF
STUFF DOESN'T GO AROUND ME!



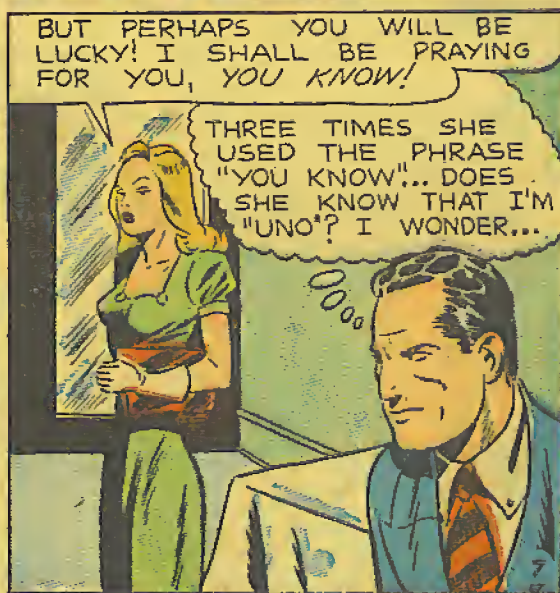
HOW DARE YOU?
GET AWAY FROM
ME!!

YOU HEARD
THE LADY,
MISTER!



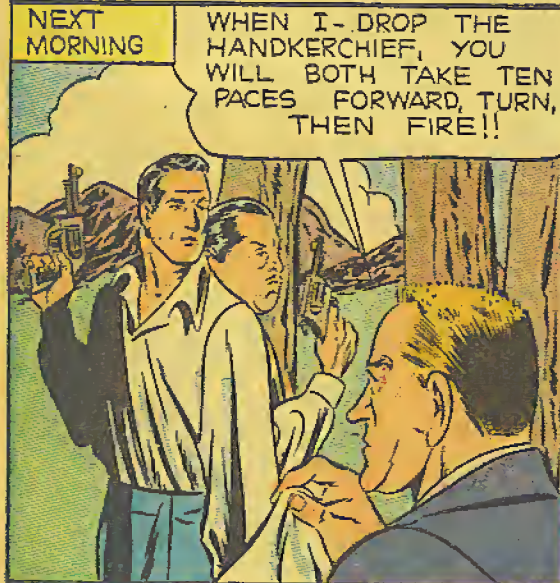


ACCORDING TO THE MOVIES I'VE SEEN, THAT GLOVE-SLAPPING BUSINESS MEANS A CHALLENGE TO A DUEL, DOESN'T IT?

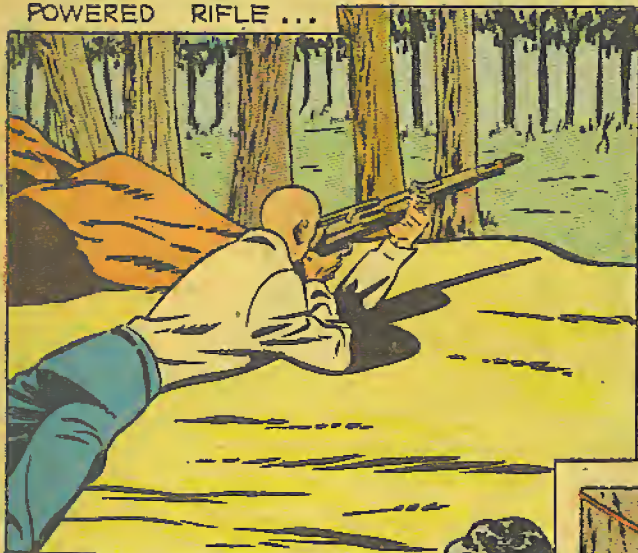


NEXT
MORNING

WHEN I DROP THE
HANDKERCHIEF, YOU
WILL BOTH TAKE TEN
PACES FORWARD, TURN,
THEN FIRE!!

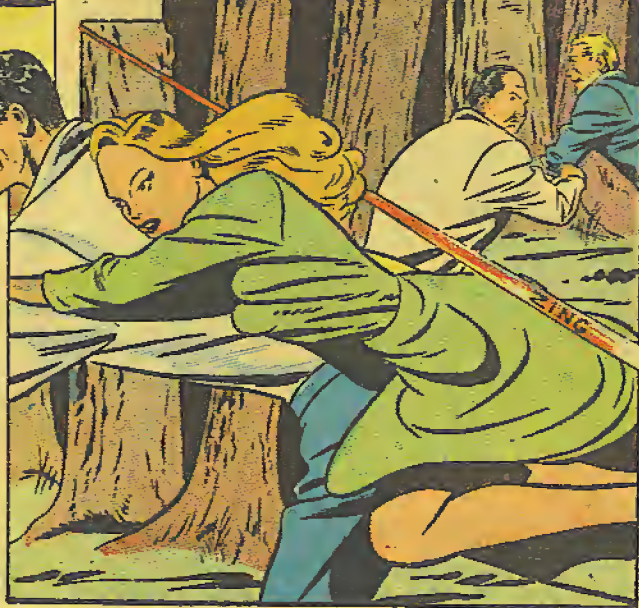


AT THAT MOMENT, A SHORT DISTANCE
AWAY, A MARKSMAN SIGHTS THROUGH
THE TELESCOPIC SIGHT OF HIS HIGH-
POWERED RIFLE...



THE NEXT SPLIT-SECOND...

THE MARKSMAN'S FINGER
PRESSES THE TRIGGER AND...



THANKS, FOR THE SHOVE! NOW
I'M GOING TO GET THE RAT
WHO ALMOST GOT ME!!

TOO LATE! HE'S
GONE! DON'T WASTE
YOUR TIME! COME
BACK!!



HMM! MAYBE SHE
WAS RIGHT! NICE
RIFLE— BUT NO
RIFLEMEN!!



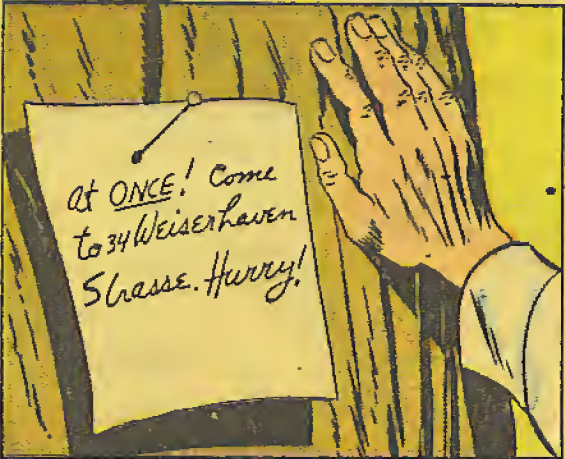
FINE THING! NOW EVERYBODY
HAS RATTED OUT ON THE ACT!



WELL, WELL! SOMEBODY
LEAVING NOTES AROUND FOR
ME, EH? WONDER WHY?



SUDDENLY, I'M AFRAID I'VE GOT
THE SCORE FIGURED OUT! NOW
I REMEMBER WHERE I'VE SEEN
THAT GIRL BEFORE! TSK! TSK!
BLAKE YOU'RE A LOUSY TROUBLE-
SHOOTER, BUT LET'S GO OVER
TO 34 WEISERHAVEN
STRASSE ANYHOW!



at ONCE! Come
to 34 Weiserhaven
Strasse. Hurry!



LATER... AT 34 WEISERHAVEN
STRASSE

YOU MIGHT AS
WELL COME CLEAN
SIR REGINALD! EVEN
THE GREAT UNO CAN'T
SAVE YOU!— HE'S
DEAD!

I DON'T BELIEVE IT!

NOT QUITE
KANE!

UNO!

GOOD WORK, MEN! WE'LL MAKE
SHORT WORK OF THE FOOL THIS
TIME! CHAIN HIM UP AND WE'LL
CALL EVA IN FOR A LITTLE
SESSION WITH HIM!

AH! SEE, EVA? WE HAVE
ANOTHER TOY FOR YOU TO
PLAY WITH!

NIEN, MISTER KANE! NOW
RELEASE UNO AND STAND
BACK, OR I'LL LASH YOU
ALL TO DEATH!

EVA! HAVE
YOU GONE
OUT OF YOUR
MIND??

SEHR
GOOT!!

LATER... AT VIENNA POLICE HEADQUARTERS...

LOCK 'EM UP NICE AND TIGHT, INSPECTOR! THE UNITED NATIONS WILL METE OUT SUITABLE PUNISHMENT LATER!

IT WASN'T UNTIL YOU LEFT THAT NOTE ON THE TREE TRUNK THAT I REMEMBERED WHO YOU ARE! FORGIVE ME MARCELLA!

NOW THAT YOU'VE EVEN REMEMBERED MY NAME I GUESS YOU ALSO RECALL THAT I'M WITH BRITISH COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE SERVICE!

BUT THERE'S ONE THING I DON'T UNDERSTAND! HOW DID YOU MANAGE TO APPEAR IN THE DUNGEON ROOM AS A FLOGGER?

FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE THAT REMINDS ME. EVA BAURN IS BOUND AND GAGGED OUT AT THE SPY RING'S HEADQUARTERS! I KNOCKED HER OUT, TIED HER UP, PUT ON HER MASK, AND SUBSTITUTED MYSELF FOR HER!

AS FOR YOU SIR REGINALD—WHERE IN THE WORLD DID YOU CONCEAL THE INFORMATION ON THE ATOMIC BOMB?

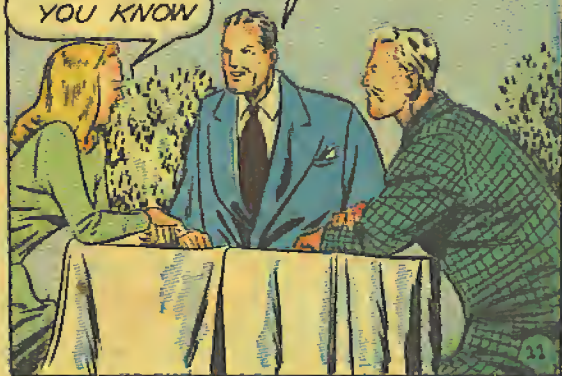
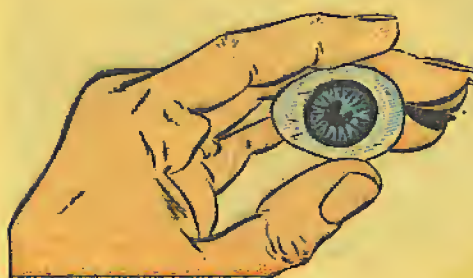
YOU'VE HEARD OF CONTACT LENSES, EH, UNO? WELL, I'M WEARING ONE... A MOST UNUSAL ONE! HERE... I'LL TAKE IT OUT!

THE LENS HAS A PAINTED EYE ON THE OUTSIDE SURFACE! THAT CONCEALS A MICROFILM REDUCTION OF THE ATOMIC BOMB INFORMATION WHICH IS ON THE INSIDE SURFACE! THE SPY RING NEVER SUSPECTED SUCH A RUSE AS THAT!

OF COURSE, MY MAIN PURPOSE WAS TO SAVE SIR REGINALD.. BUT IT WAS NICE TO MEET YOU AGAIN YOU KNOW

YOU KNOW, UNO IS MIGHTY HAPPY ABOUT THAT TOO!

TO SAY NOTHING OF THIS EX-MISSING AMBASSADOR

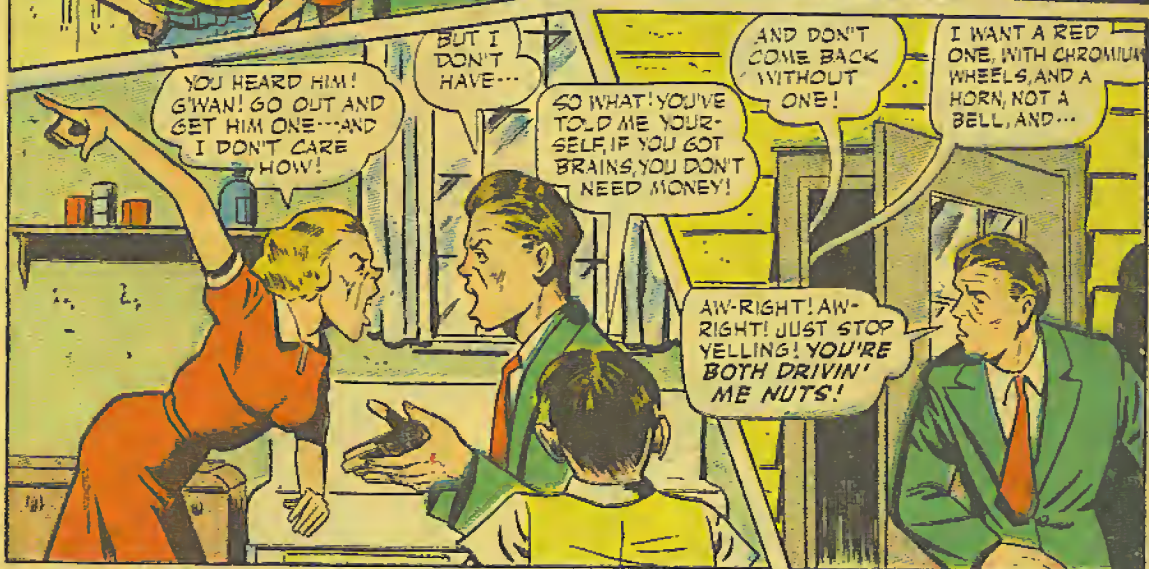
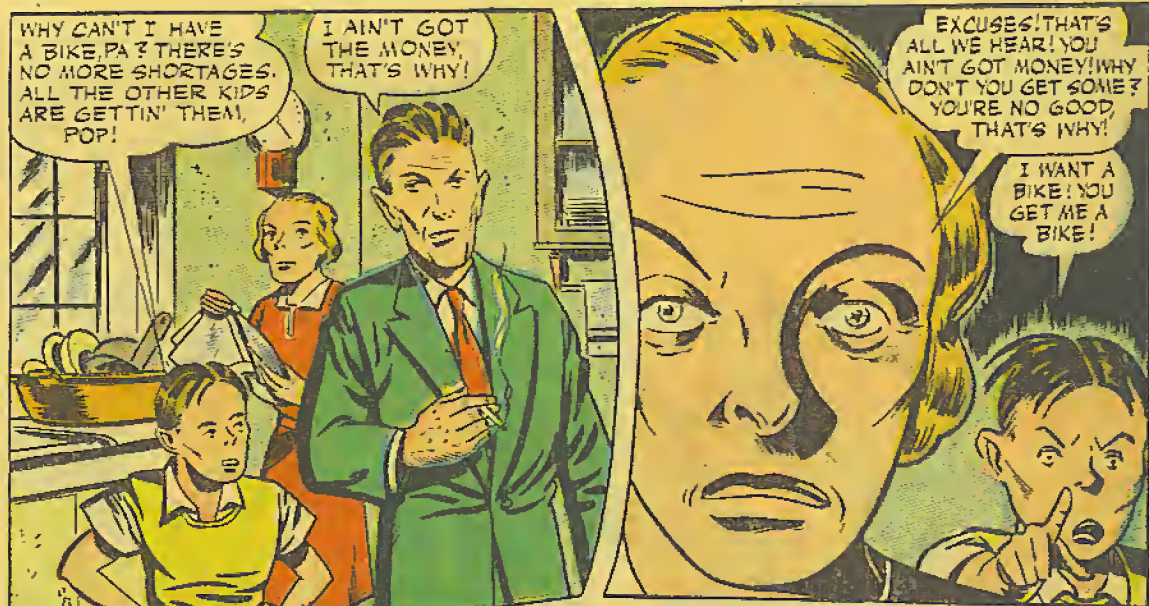


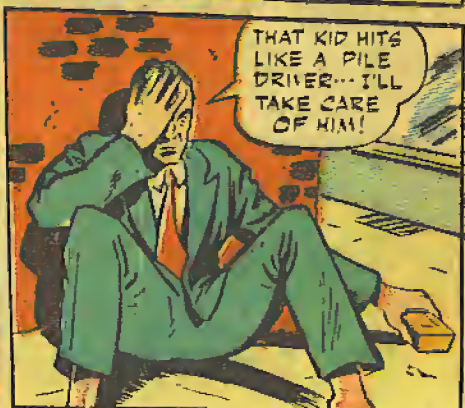
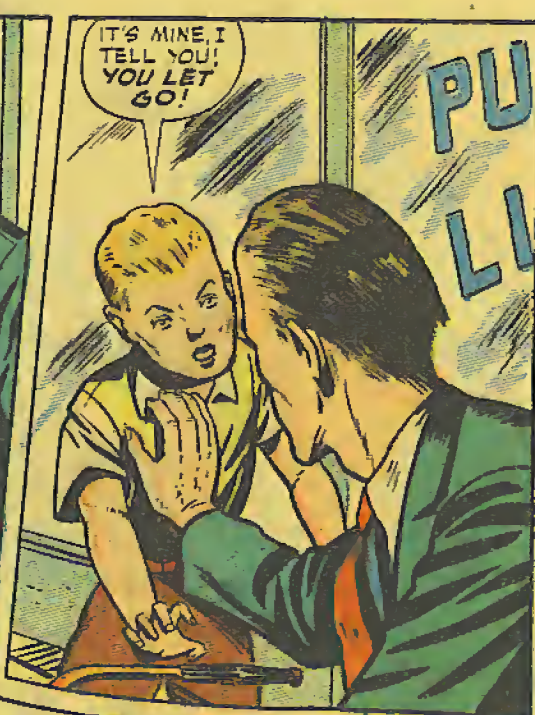
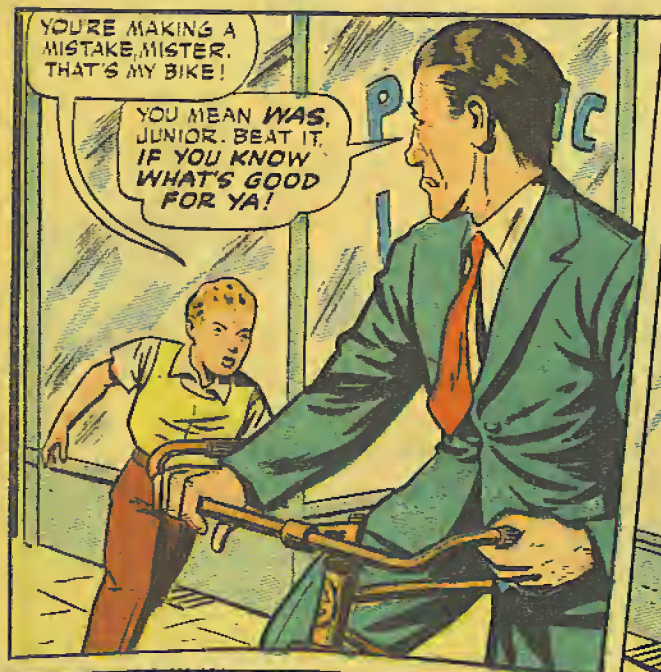
MAGNO and DAVEY

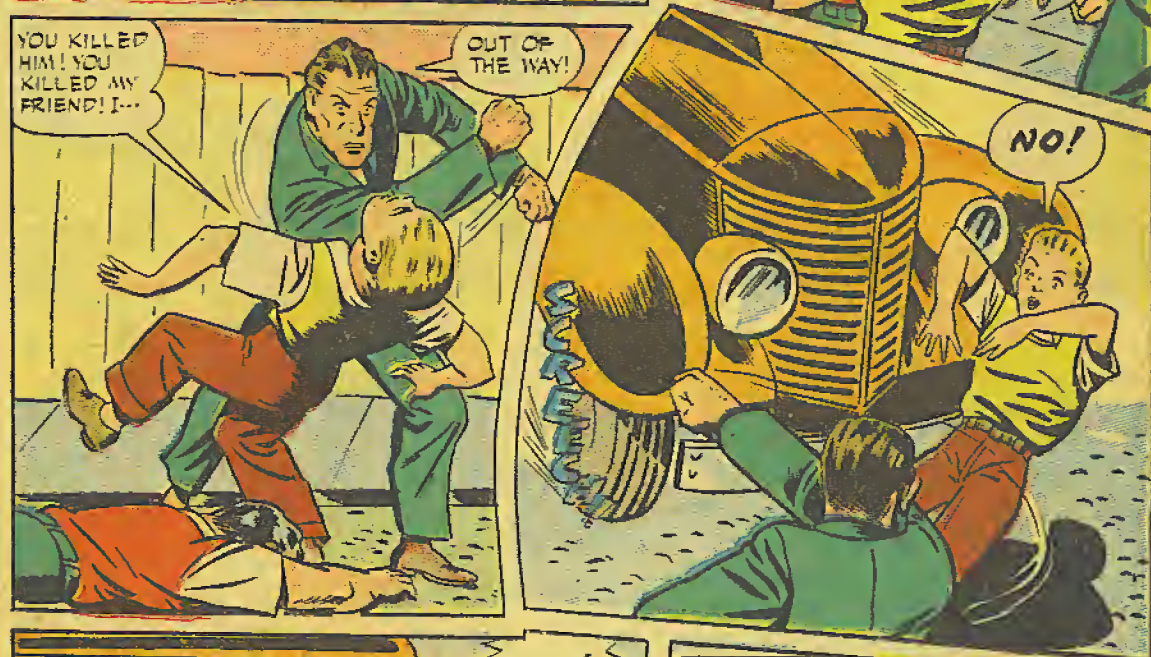
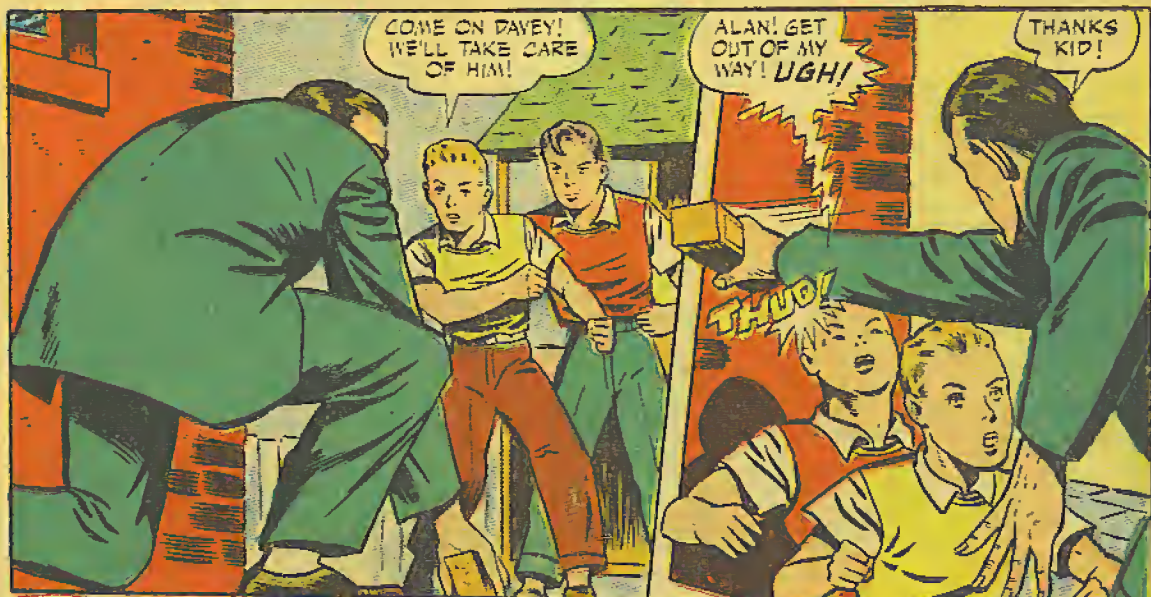
ON A BICYCLE
BUILT FOR DEATH!

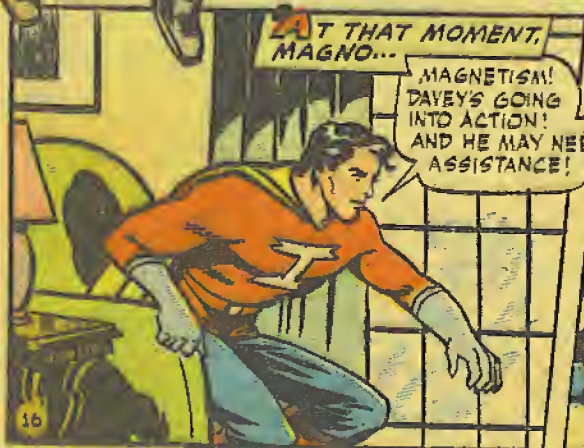
YOU WOULDN'T IMAGINE THAT ANYTHING COULD BE WRONG WHEN A FATHER BRINGS A BIKE HOME FOR HIS SON...YOU WOULDN'T THINK ANYTHING COULD BE WRONG...SO WRONG THAT MURDER WOULD STRIKE WITH LIGHTNING-LIKE FEROCITY, AND WITH SUCH SUDDENNESS AND VENOM THAT IT COULD ONLY BE STOPPED IF DAVEY PLACED HIMSELF, AS A DECOY, INTO A TRAP FROM WHICH DEATH WAS THE ONE CERTAIN ESCAPE!











MAGNETISM! DAVEY'S GOING INTO ACTION! AND HE MAY NEED ASSISTANCE!





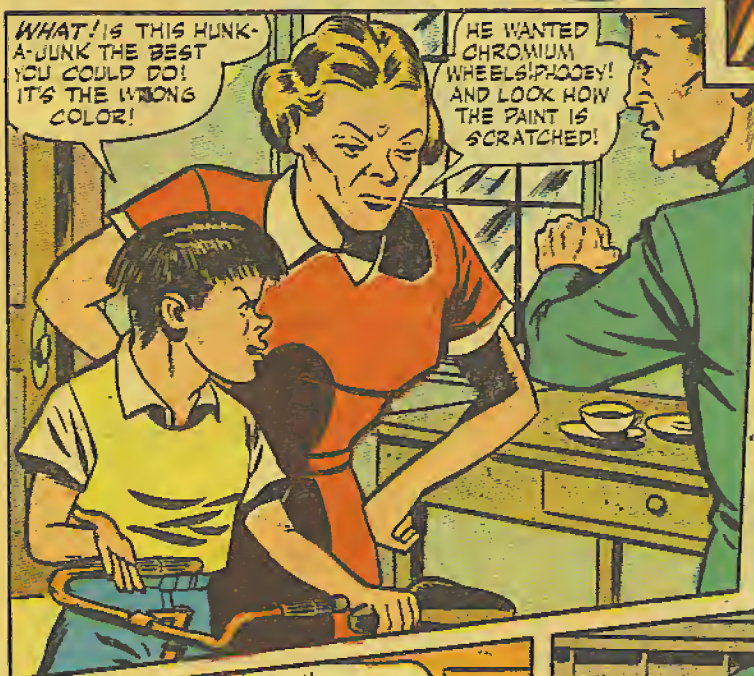
OKAY! BUT IF IT GETS TOUGHER THAN YOU THINK, FLASH ME!

GOOD ENOUGH, PAL! AND THANKS!



MEANWHILE...
HERE'S A BIKE!
I HOPE YOU LIKE IT! I HAD ENOUGH TROUBLE GETTING IT!

TOOK YOU LONG ENOUGH!



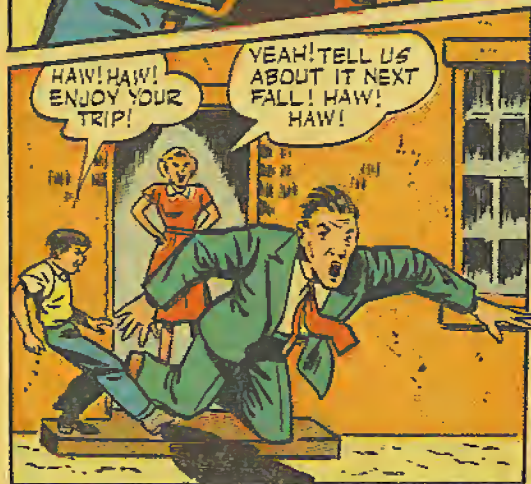
WHAT! IS THIS HUNK-A-JUNK THE BEST YOU COULD DO! IT'S THE WRONG COLOR!

HE WANTED CHROMIUM WHEELS! PHOOEY! AND LOOK HOW THE PAINT IS SCRATCHED!



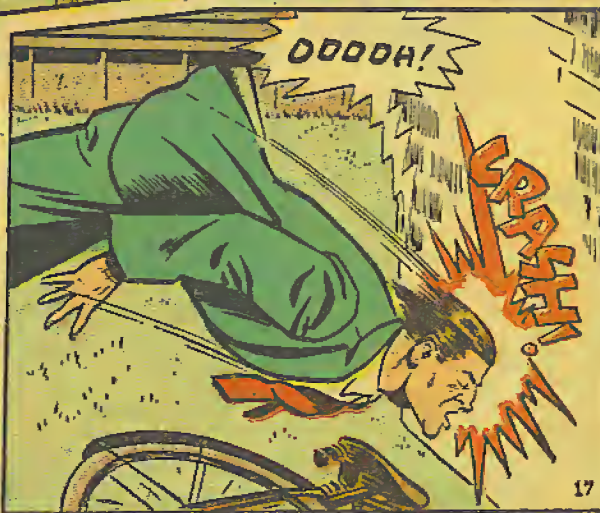
IT'S A LOUSY, CHEAP JUNK-HEAD! THIS IS WHAT I THINK OF IT!

WHY, YOU LITTLE...



HAW! HAW! ENJOY YOUR TRIP!

YEAH! TELL US ABOUT IT NEXT FALL! HAW! HAW!



OOOHH!

CRASH!

MY HEAD!
MY HEAD, IT'S
BURSTING!

I'LL KILL YOU!
I'LL KILL YOU!
I'LL KILL...

NO! NO!
SHRIEEEEK!

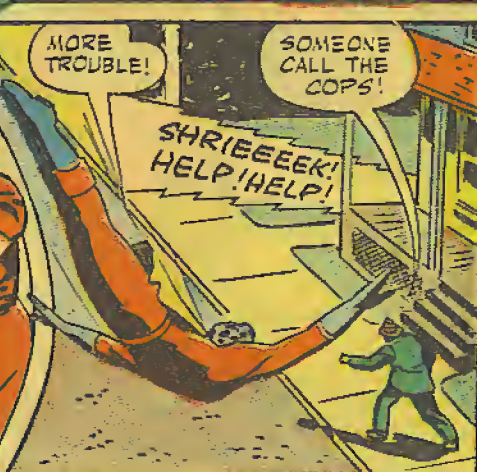


I'LL KILL!
I'LL KILL!

LET GO OF HIM!
LET GO OF HIM!
SHRIEEEEK!
SHRIEEEEK!

MORE
TROUBLE!

SOMEONE
CALL THE
COPS!



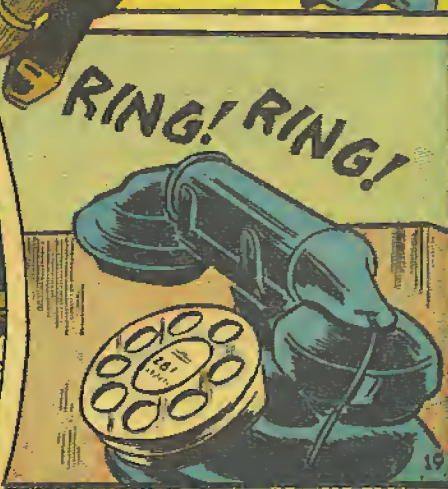
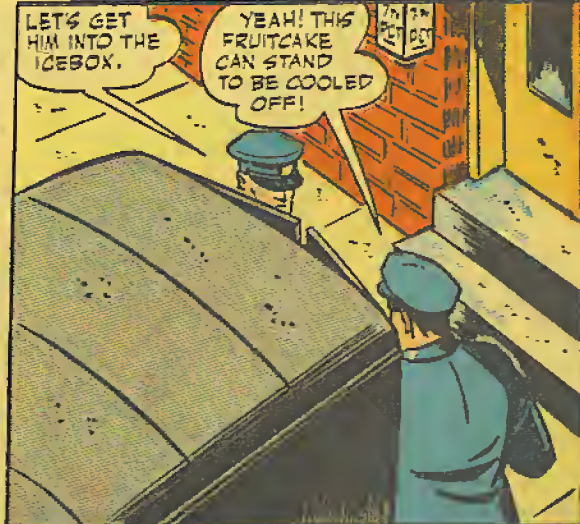
HE TRIED
TO KILL
US!

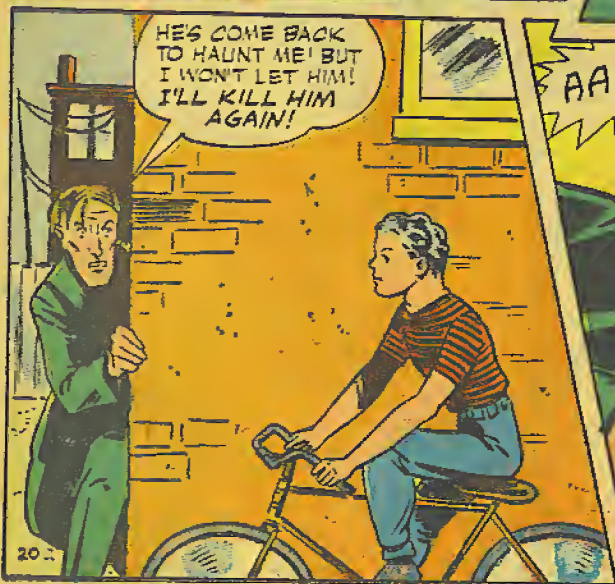
BETTER WATCH
HIM CAREFULLY
OFFICER, HE'S
DANGEROUS!

OH, HO! IT'S
YOU! THIS
BECOMES
A DOUBLE
PLEASURE!

SOB!
SOB!







THROUGH THE CITY A MADMAN STALKS, MURDERING AGAIN AND AGAIN... TRYING TO DRIVE THE IMAGE OF HIS MURDERED SON FROM HIS FEVERED MIND! BUT IN THE MANIAC'S EYES EVERY BOY ON A BICYCLE BECOMES HIS SON, AND HE KILLS... AND KILLS... AND KILLS!



THE POLICE ARE SCOURING THE CITY, BUT EVERY MOMENT HE'S LOOSE MAY MEAN ANOTHER DEATH! WE'VE GOT TO DO SOMETHING... AND FAST!

OKAY, I'LL MAKE LIKE A CHEESE...

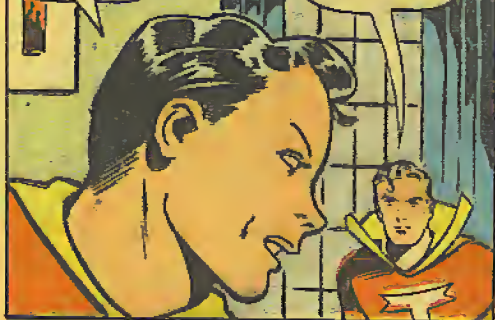


...AND BE BAIT FOR A TRAP. IF I'M OUT RIDING A BIKE, I STAND A FAIR-TO-MIDDLING CHANCE OF MEETING UP WITH HIM!

OKAY, IT'S DANGEROUS... BUT THEN, YOU CAN HANDLE HIM BETTER THAN ANY OTHER KID YOUR AGE!

I'LL RIDE, AND LOOK, AND HOPE...

AND I'LL HOVER OVER THE CITY AND KEEP A MAGNETIC CONTACT WITH EVERY BIKE IN THE STREETS... IF ANY OF THEM MEET WITH SUDDEN VIOLENCE, I'LL KNOW IT... AND BE THERE!



AND SO MANY SUSPENSEFUL HOURS PASS...

AGAIN! MY SON AGAIN! ON THAT INFERNAL HAUNTED BICYCLE! I'VE GOT TO STOP HIM! KILL HIM AGAIN AND AGAIN UNTIL HE LEAVES ME!

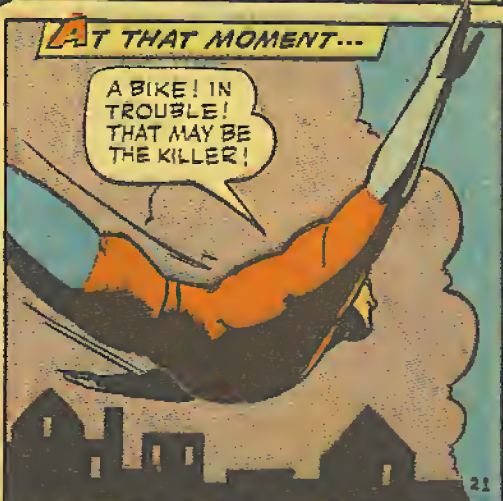


IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I WAS IN ARGENTINA, SINCE I USED A BOLO... BUT I DIDN'T FORGET...



AT THAT MOMENT...

A BIKE! IN TROUBLE! THAT MAY BE THE KILLER!

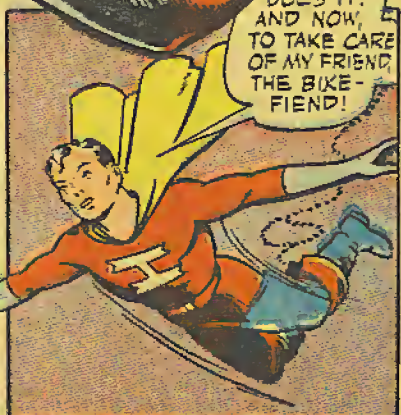




DAVEY! MAGNETIC IMPULSES
TELL ME HE'S IN TROUBLE!
BUT I'VE GOT TO INVESTI-
GATE DOWN BELOW... THAT
MAY BE WHERE THE KILLER
IS WORKING! DAVEY CAN
TAKE CARE OF HIMSELF!



IF I CAN ONLY HOLD
MY BREATH LONG
ENOUGH...AND GET
RID OF THESE
CLUMBERGOME
CLOTHES...





YOU!
DAVEY!

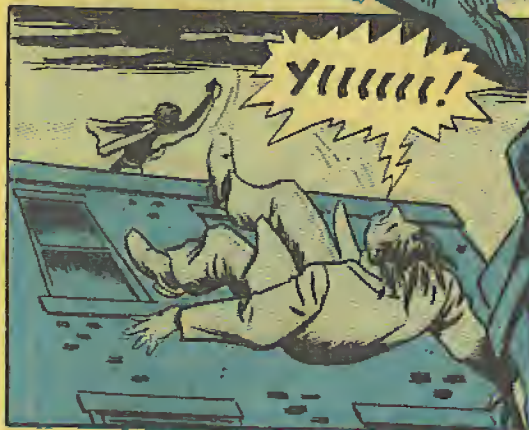
THE
VERY
SAME!



YOU CAUGHT
ME ONCE...BUT
YOU WON'T
AGAIN!



THAT'S YOUR IDEA,
AND IT'S AS CRAZY
AS YOU ARE!



YUUUUU!



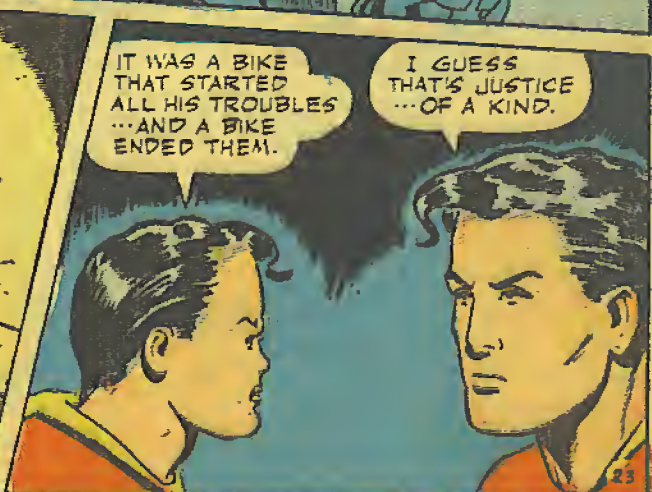
DAVEY!
YOU ALL
RIGHT?

FIT AS A NEW
NICKLE. TAKE
A LOOK DOWN
BELOW.

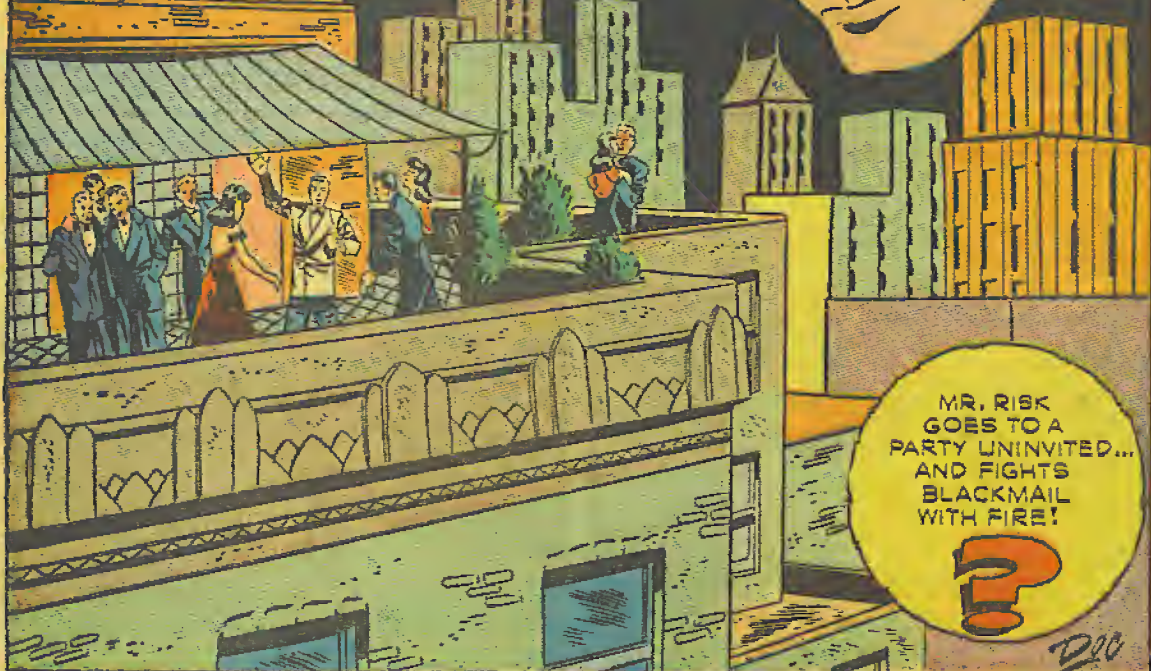


IT WAS A BIKE
THAT STARTED
ALL HIS TROUBLES
...AND A BIKE
ENDED THEM.

I GUESS
THAT'S JUSTICE
...OF A KIND.



MR. RISK



MR. RISK
GOES TO A
PARTY UNINVITED...
AND FIGHTS
BLACKMAIL
WITH FIRE!



D20

DON'T WANT
TO GO
HOME.
WANT TO
GO SOME-
PLACE
ELSE!

IT'S GETTING
LATE, JACK.
DON'T YOU
THINK WE'VE
HAD ENOUGH
FOR
TONIGHT?

I KNOW WHERE
THERE'S A
PARTY
GOING ON.
SHOULD BE
GOOD FOR
ALL NIGHT.

WELL WHAT
ARE WE
WAITING FOR?
LET'S GO!

BUT,
JACK!
TED!

THE PENTHOUSE
PLEASE

WAIT UNTIL
YOU SEE
THIS PLACE!

I WISH
YOU HAD
TOLD US
THAT THE
PARTY WAS
AT BIG MAC'S
PENTHOUSE,
TED! IF I HAD
KNOWN, I CER-
TAINLY WOULDN'T HAVE
COME!





HI, BIG MAC! I BROUGHT A COUPLE OF FRIENDS ALONG. JACK ROTHWELL AND CLAIRE BENSON.

JUST MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME, FOLKS. IF YOU WANT ANYTHING, JUST ASK FOR IT!



LET'S GO, JACK! I DON'T LIKE IT HERE!

MIND IF I CUT IN?

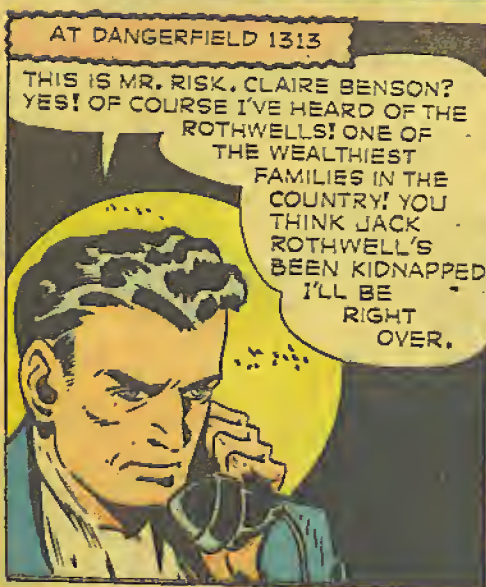


THANKS FOR THE DANCE, CLAIRE!

I ENJOYED IT, TED. WHY... I WONDER WHAT HAPPENED TO JACK?



I'VE LOOKED EVERYWHERE FOR JACK AND CAN'T FIND HIM! I NEED SOME HELP!



AT DANGERFIELD 1313

THIS IS MR. RISK. CLAIRE BENSON? YES! OF COURSE I'VE HEARD OF THE ROTHWELLS! ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST FAMILIES IN THE COUNTRY! YOU THINK JACK ROTHWELL'S BEEN KIDNAPPED!! I'LL BE RIGHT OVER.



THE PENTHOUSE, PLEASE.

NOTHIN' DOIN', BUD! THERE'S A BIG PARTY GOING ON UP THERE! NOBODY GOES UP UNLESS BIG MAC OKAYS HIM!





HOPE YOU HAD A NICE TIME,
MR. ROTHWELL. YOU'RE WEL-
COME ANYTIME.....

TAKE THEM
DOWN, ABDUL!



DOWN,
PLEASE!

ABDUL WILL TAKE
CARE OF THEM
FOR A FEW MIN-
UTES! LET'S
TAKE A LOOK
AROUND!

AFTER 10 MINUTES OF SEARCHING....

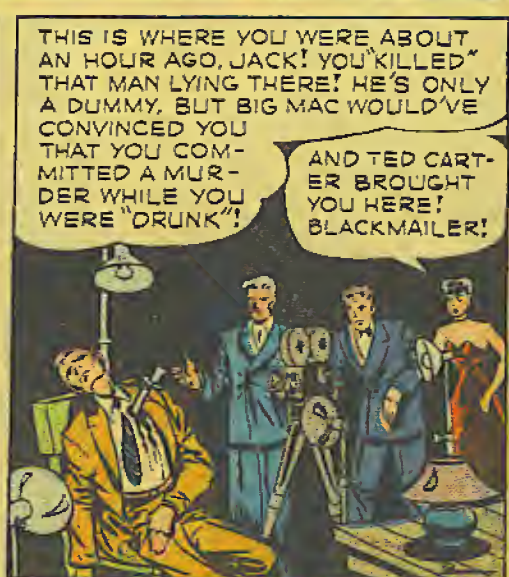
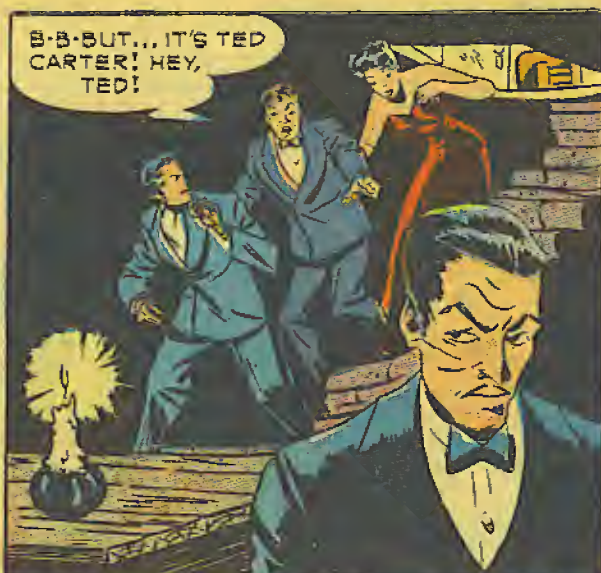
WE'VE BEEN ALL OVER THE PLACE AND EVERYTHING'S IN ORDER. BUT I STILL.... I'M CCGOLD. WHEN I WOKE UP, I FELT SO-O-O-HOT AND SWEATY AND NOW...I'M CC-COLD.



HMMM. YOU WERE UP TO SOME PRETTY HOT WORK FOR THE HOUR THAT YOU WERE MISSING! I THINK I SEE IT NOW!

I DON'T GET IT. WHERE WAS HE? WHAT WAS HE DOING?









I SEE I MADE IT JUST IN TIME. ROTHWELL, I'VE BEEN LAYING FOR YOU A LONG TIME, YOU NO-GOOD RICH...



SO SORRY! BUT I DON'T THINK SO!

ASHAMED, MASTER, THAT GUNMEN GOT AWAY FROM ME! PULL OLD TRICK, MAKE ME TURN MY BACK.

FORGET IT, ABDUL. AFTER ALL, YOU GAVE JACK THE CHANCE TO PROVE THE STUFF HE'S MADE OF!

NOW WHAT'S GOING ON HERE!

YOU'RE JUST IN TIME, OFFICER, TO TAKE CARE OF THESE GANGSTERS! AND IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'M GOING TO LIGHT UP MY FIRE TO KEEP WARM!



YOU WERE WONDERFUL, JACK.

